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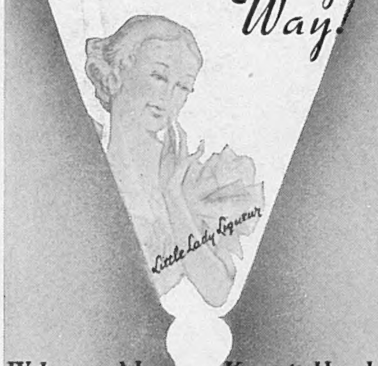

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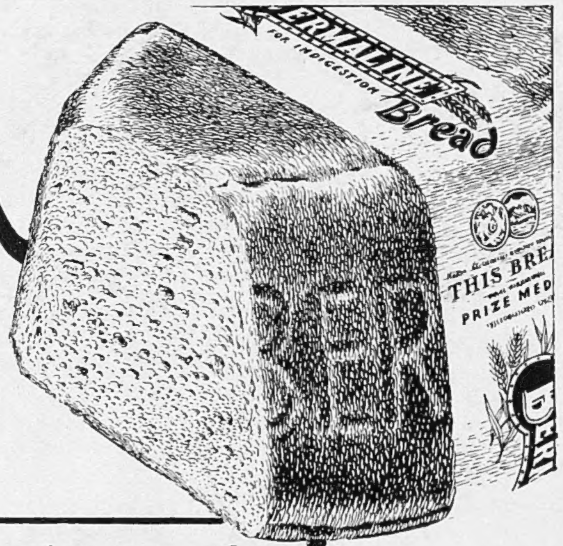

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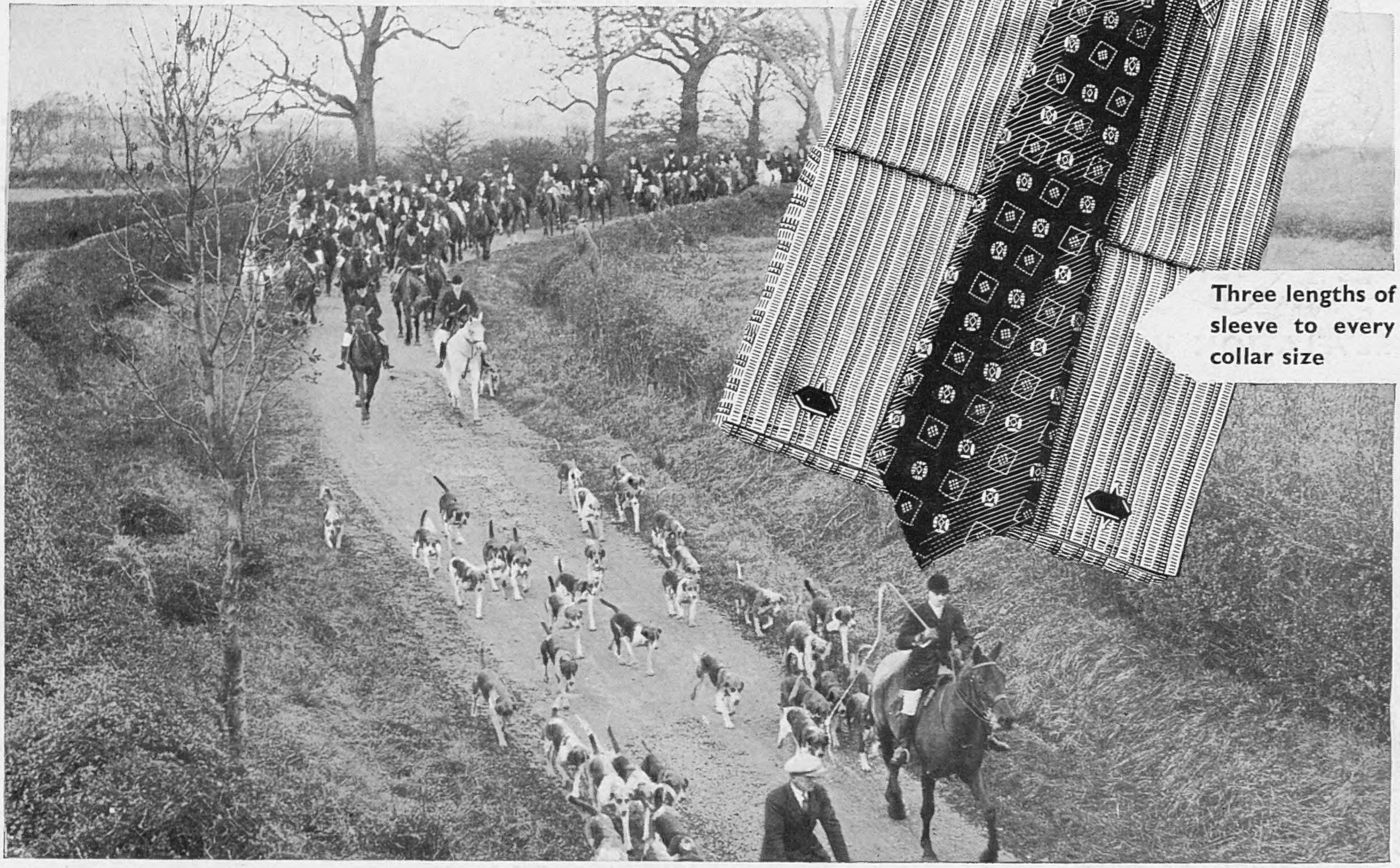

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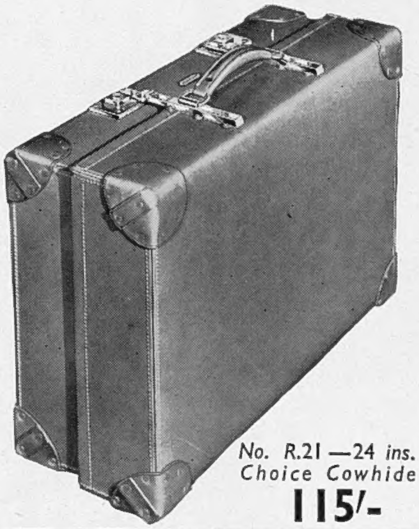

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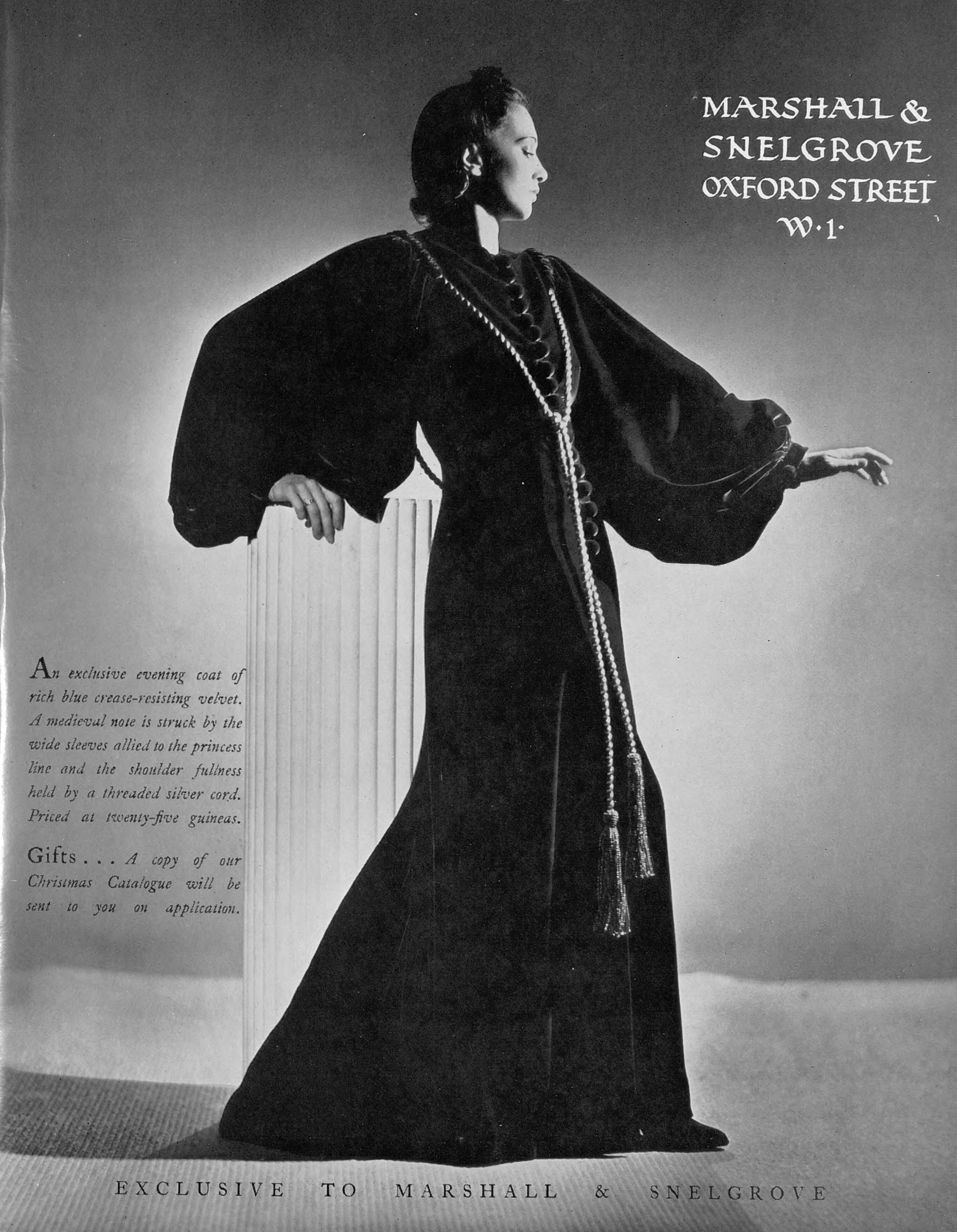
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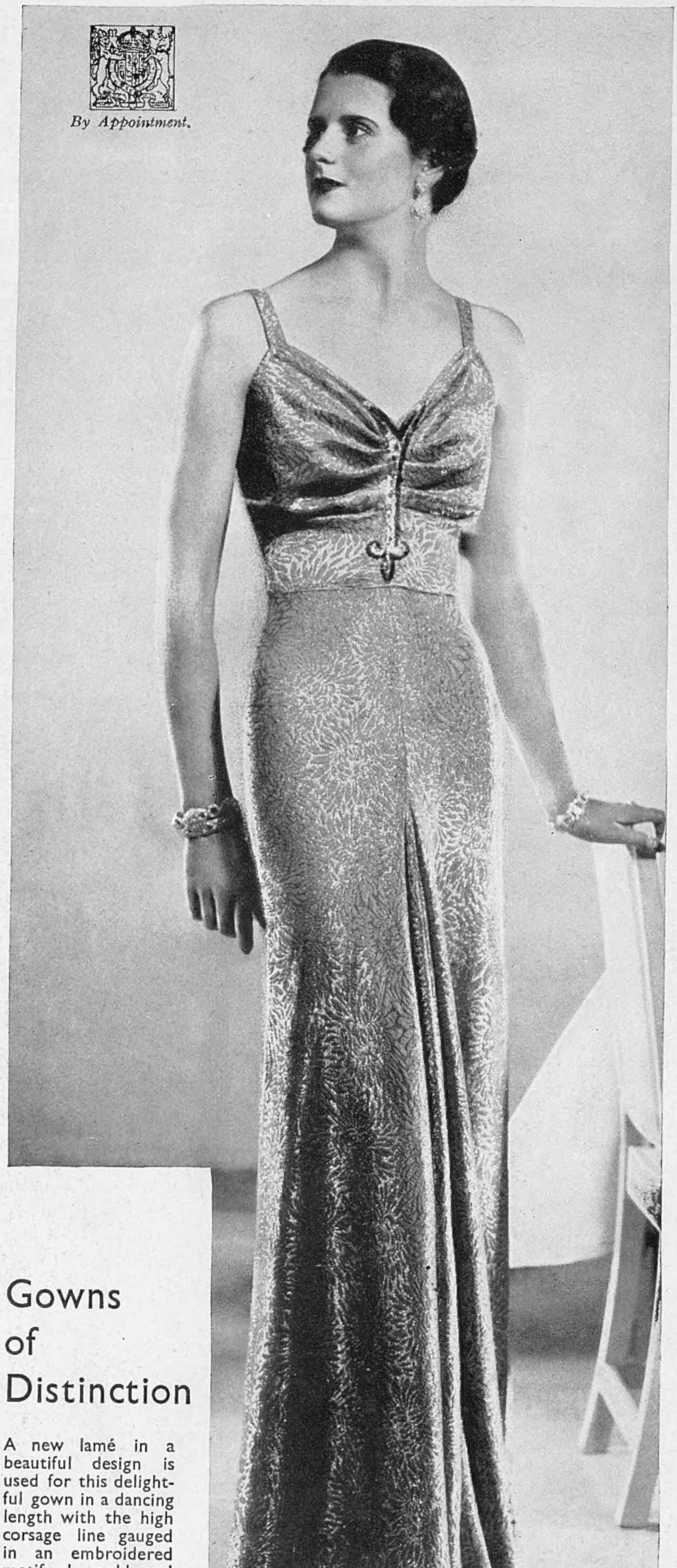

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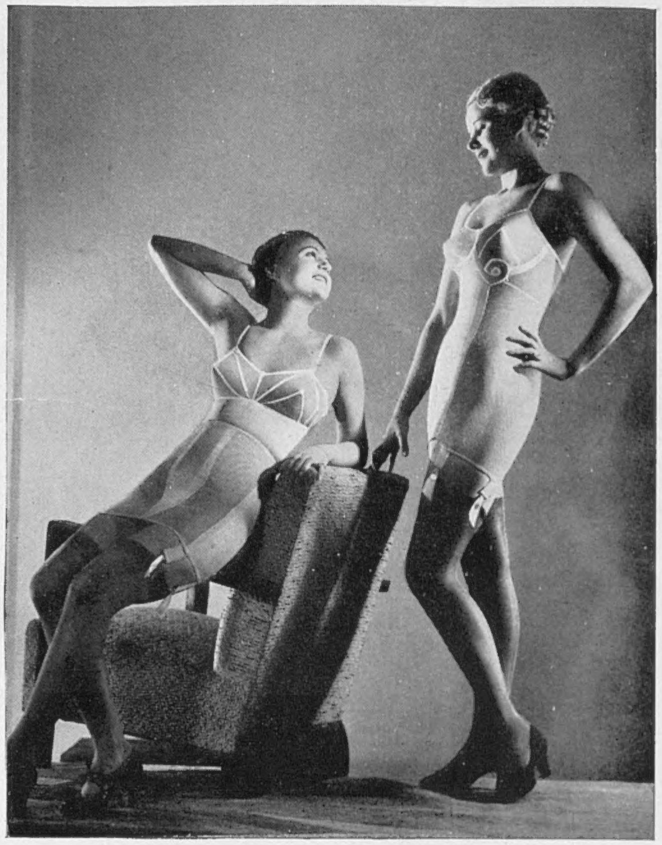

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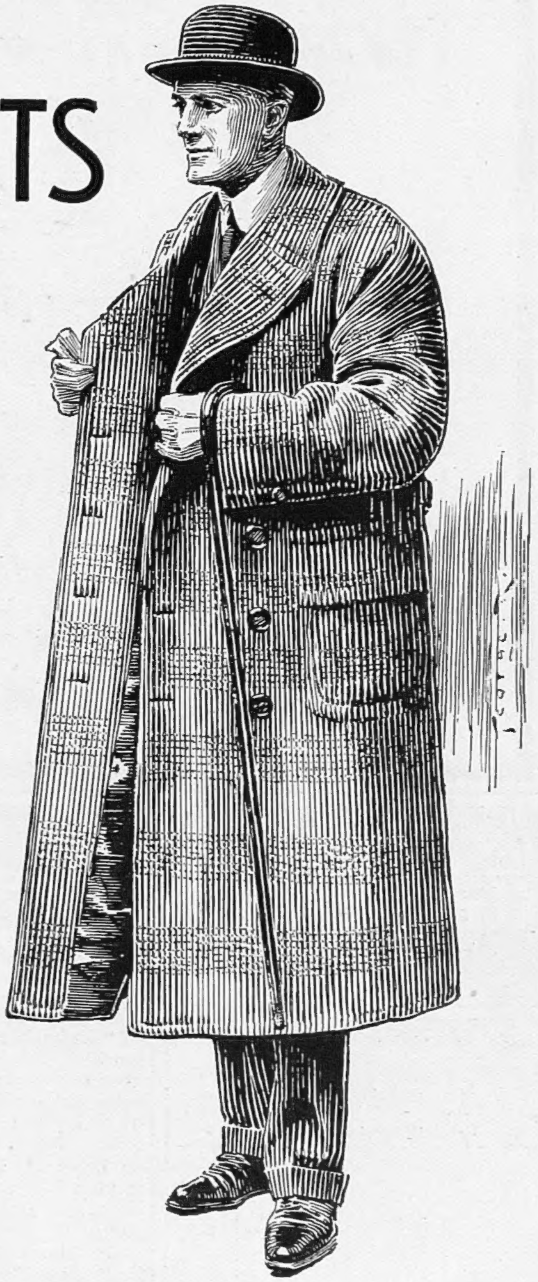

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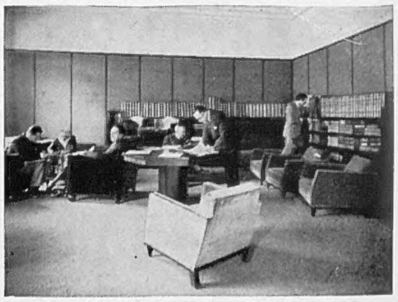

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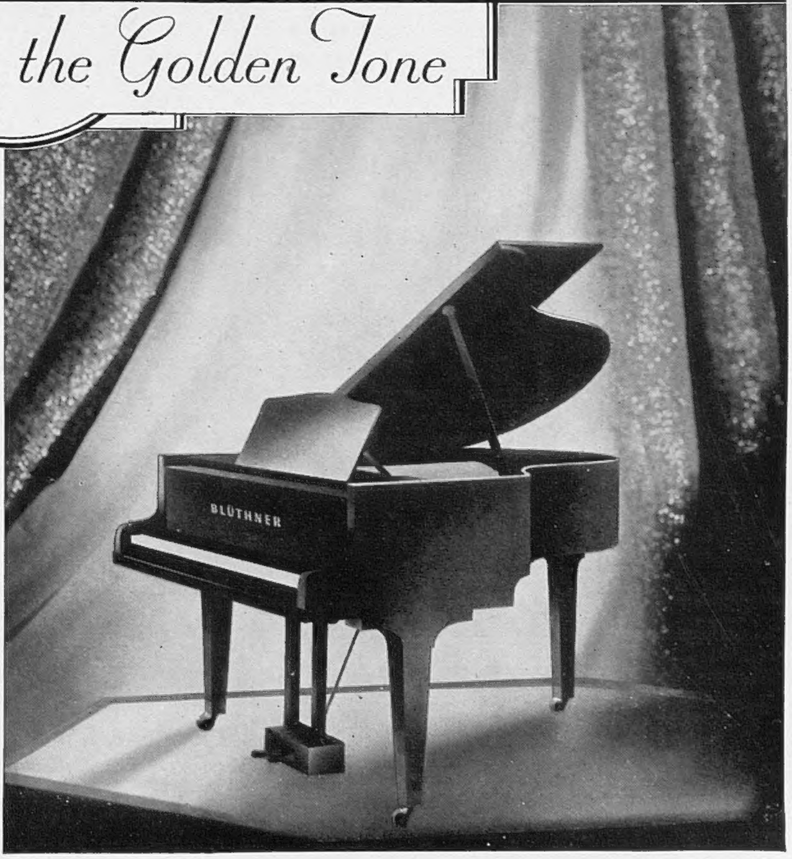

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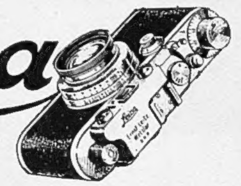

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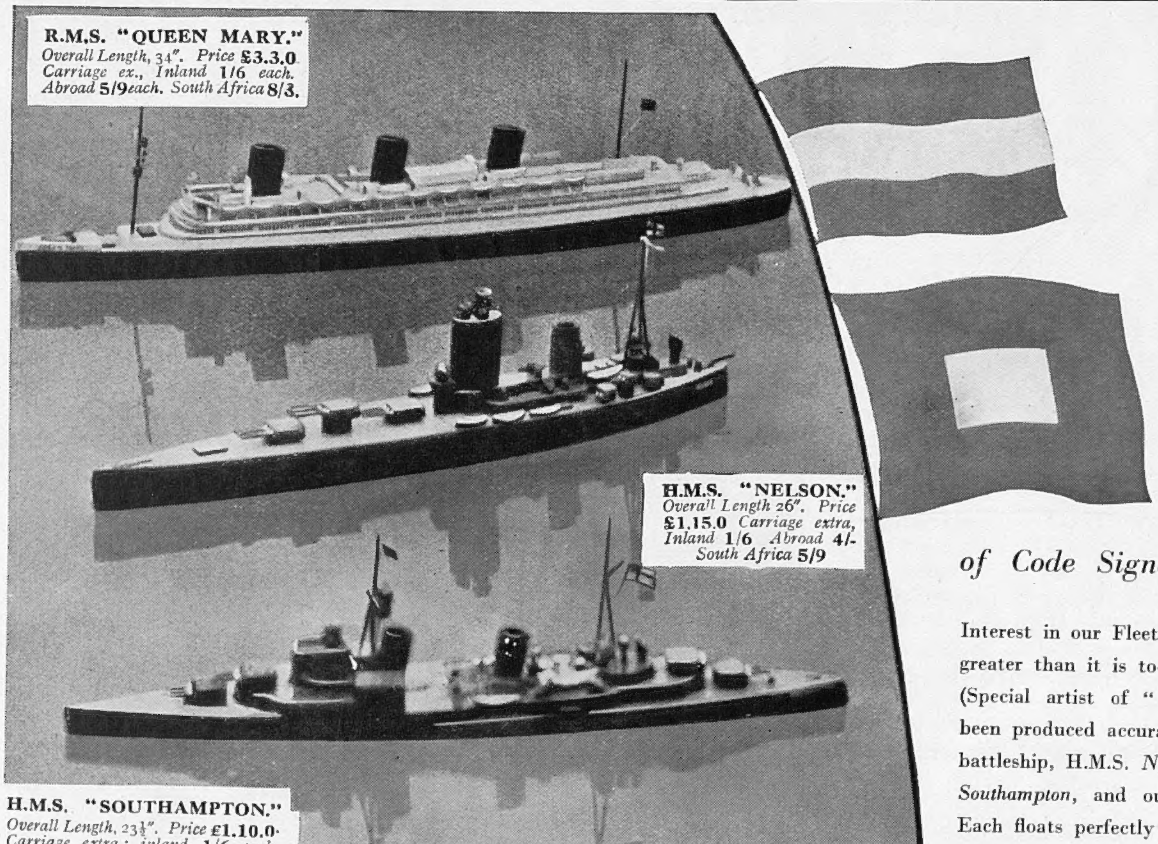

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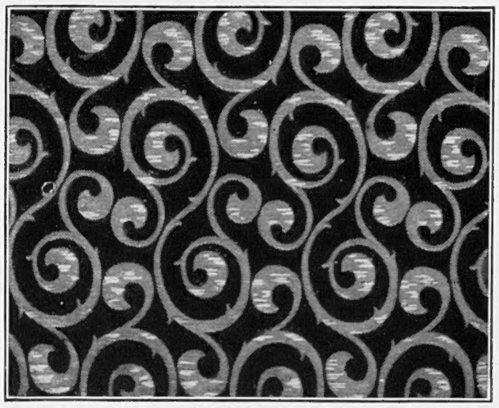

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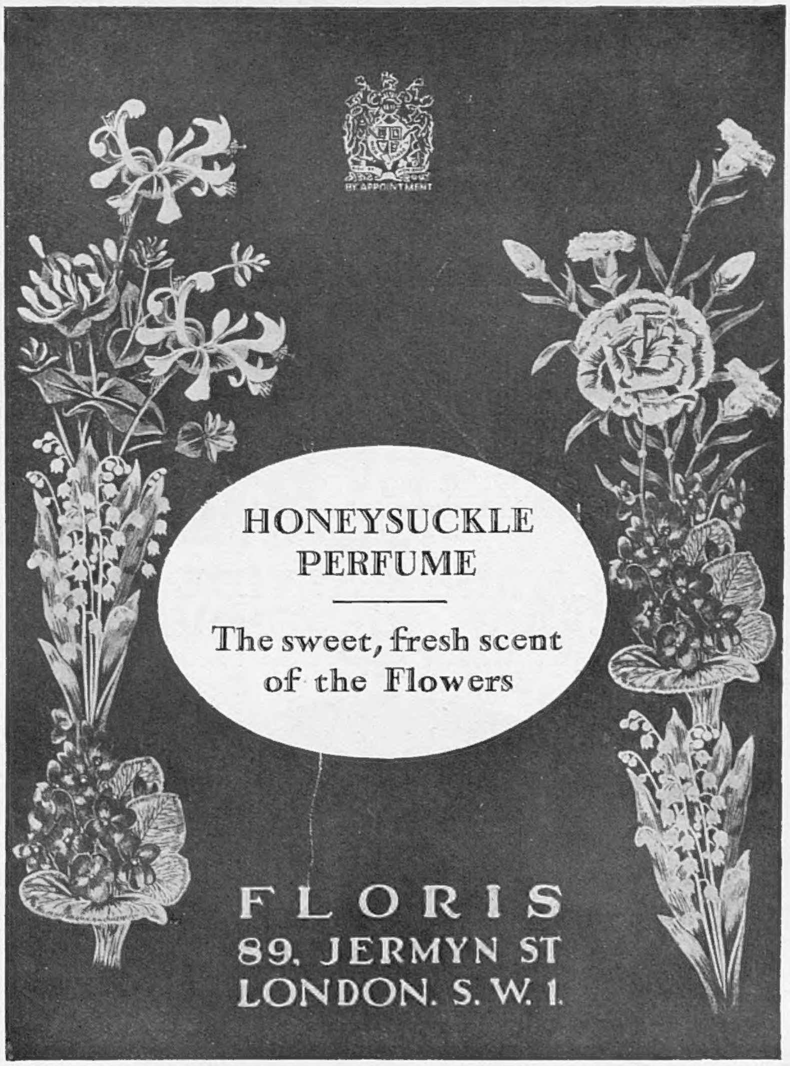

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CHRISTMAS CALLING—TO ALL MEN OF GOOD WILL.

IT'S impossible to remain untouched by the light in a youngster's eyes when he or she opens the "surprise" packets on Christmas morning, or by the eagerness of the rush to the door when the Christmas postman knocks. Dr. Barnardo's Homes hope that the postman will be a frequent caller at their door, for although the famous door in Stepney is ever open to destitute children, the postman *has* to knock at it! Will you ensure that he raps to good purpose by writing out a cheque and addressing it to Dr. Barnardo's Homes, Barnardo House, Stepney Causeway, E.1.?

H.R.H. the Duke of Kent, who is the father of our youngest Prince and Princess, is President of the Alexandra Orphanage, which cares for 380 fatherless or motherless boys and girls at the school at Maitland Park, London, N.W., and several scholars there owe their reception to his kindly interest. Children who show ability are given opportunities for secondary education or technical training, and many former scholars have attained influential positions, and helped the school to carry on. Each year, £10,000 must be raised, so, this Christmas, will all *Sketch* readers do their bit by sending a contribution to the Hon. Treasurer, James V. Rank, Esq., Alexandra Orphanage, 34-40, Ludgate Hill, E.C.4?

Christmas gifts are in everyone's mind, and when making out your list, please think of the hundreds of babies in the care of the Waifs and Strays Society. Its present family numbers 4700 babies, crippled boys and girls—a heavy total of stockings to fill! And on an average three new children come into the Society's homes daily! These homes are small and are *real* homes, in which every child receives individual care, while there are hospitals where cripples are treated; and vocational training homes. Cheques are to be sent to The Secretary, Waifs and Strays Society, Old Town Hall, Kennington, S.E.11.

John Groom's Crippleage calls to us at this season of good will, and few charities make a more urgent appeal. Its work is fourfold, as it consists of a training home for 300 crippled girls, an orphanage for 200 girls, a holiday home for crippled girls, and evangelistic and philanthropic work in south-east and east-central London. The majority of the children employed at the Crippleage would be unemployable in the normal channels of industry, so

S.O.S Don't forget this in your Christmas Giving

For 70 YEARS JOHN GROOM'S CRIPPLEAGE and Flower Girls' Mission has been doing a great and merciful work. helping crippled girls to become partially self-supporting. These girls are admitted from all over the country without votes or payment of any kind. Some are blind, some deaf and dumb, some have only one hand or effective arm, some have spinal trouble, They are trained to make exquisite flowers—Orchids, Anemones, Lilies, Wistarias, Magnolias—for decorating rooms, banqueting halls, etc.

But this training costs money—so the number of cripples admitted is strictly limited by the funds available. There are many deserving cases on the "Waiting List." Must we turn a deaf ear to their urgent appeals for admission? ***The work is entirely dependent upon voluntary contributions and occasional legacies received.***

Her Majesty the Queen, when Duchess of York, visited the Crippleage and expressed great satisfaction at the happy conditions under which the crippled girls work.

In addition to the 300 Crippled Girls at Edgware and Clerkenwell, 200 orphan girls are cared for in Orphan Homes at Clacton-on-Sea. Rest and Seaside Homes for Cripples are also maintained at Clacton.

What the Press says (one of many tributes):
"To see girls so cruelly handicapped, physically, showing the pluck and perseverance and patience which must go into the work they do, makes one thankful for men such as the late John A. Groom."

Make YOUR Christmas happier by making these cripples happy. Please send your contribution now. Postcard addressed to the Secretary will bring interesting literature.

JOHN GROOM'S CRIPPLEAGE AND FLOWER GIRLS' MISSION (Inc.)

37, SEKFORDE STREET, CLERKENWELL, LONDON, E.C.1.

there is a practical as well as a benevolent side to the work, which makes it a real duty to support it. Send your gift, large or small, to The Secretary, John Groom's Crippleage, 37, Sekforde Street, E.C.1.

Christmas should be a happy time for everyone, and the first necessity for happiness is good health. We cannot insure health for all, but we can help the hospitals in their fight against disease, and above all the Royal Northern Hospital, which stands in a part of London peopled only by the poor and the very poor. It needs £350,000 for re-equipment, for maintenance, for the re-opening of forty-three beds now closed, and for one thousand and one daily wants. As a thank-offering for good health, let us all send something to the Secretary, Royal Northern Hospital, Holloway, N.7.

Christmas and New Year are the seasons of hope, and when thinking happily of the future, let us remember those to whom the future can bring but little joy. Sufferers from cancer need all the courage they can muster, and all the care that science can provide. They are devotedly nursed in the Royal Cancer Hospital (Free), Fulham Road; and in the Research Institute every effort is made to discover more about the cause and cure of the disease. For this work money is needed, and the Royal Cancer Hospital calls for your support and your aid in raising £150,000 for extensions to the Research Institute. Send your gift now.

The campaign against cancer is being fought on several fronts, and the work of the British Empire Cancer Campaign calls in no uncertain voice for your aid. It can be truly said that the sun never sets upon the battle against cancer, for in the Campaign's branches throughout the Homeland, Canada, Australia, New Zealand and South Africa the struggle for conquest goes on unwearied and unceasing. Send your aid for the sinews of war to the Hon. Secretary in charge of the War Chest, 12, Grosvenor Crescent, Hyde Park Corner.

The work of studying the terrible disease of cancer is carried on by the Imperial Cancer Research Fund, which was founded in 1902 under the direction of the Royal College of Physicians of London and the Royal College of Surgeons of England. The work of this Fund and of the other great centres of research has so increased our knowledge of the origin and nature of the disease, and has so altered the outlook of the medical profession, that cancer in increasingly large numbers of cases, is now curable. Further advance will be made, but it needs money, so send your cheque to the Hon. Treasurer, 8-11, Queen Square, W.C.1.

Please remember US . . .

"We're looking forward to a happy Christmas in Dr. Barnardo's Homes."

Many of the 8,200 girls and boys now in the care of the Homes will be spending their first really happy Christmas. Without children Christmas would be a very dull affair indeed but with 8,200 youngsters to cater for the Festive Season is always an anxious time for Barnardo's. Please lend a hand!

DR. BARNARDO'S HOMES

10/- would be very acceptable.

Will you make at least one little child happy this Christmas?

Cheques etc. (crossed), payable Dr. Barnardo's Homes should be sent to 394 Barnardo House, Stepney Causeway, London, E.1.

THIS HAPPINESS

is evidence of the affection and care bestowed upon the girls and boys at the Alexandra Orphanage at Maitland Park, London. This little girl was admitted 3 years ago at the age of 4. She will remain until she is 15 at least. There are 380 now in residence. Many are receiving secondary education or technical training. Will you help these fatherless or motherless children by sending a donation? We need £10,000 each year above our assured income.

ALEXANDRA ORPHANAGE

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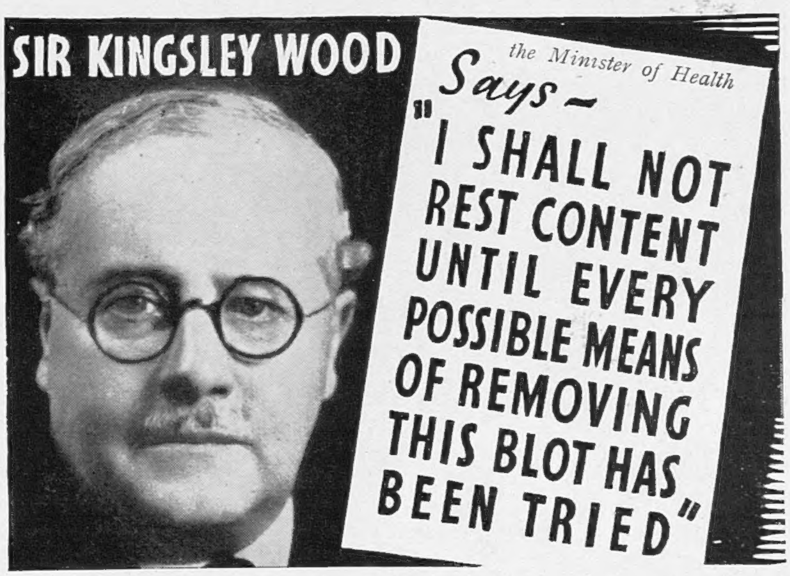

"Every possible means" demands sufficient funds to provide the most up-to-date methods of treatment and to enable research work to be carried on unceasingly. Then, and only then, can we of The Royal Cancer Hospital (Free) hope to fight a *winning* battle against cancer, which takes toll of 60,000 lives every year . . . this scourge which may at any moment strike at you or yours.

£150,000 is urgently needed. Will you please help by sending a special Christmas Gift to the Treasurer?

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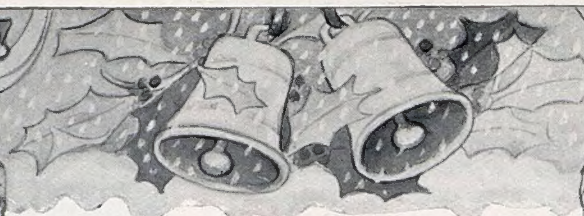
Founded in 1902, under the direction of the Royal College of Physicians of London and the Royal College of Surgeons of England as a centre for research and information on Cancer, the Imperial Cancer Research Fund is working unceasingly on the systematic investigation of the disease in man and animals. The work of this Fund and of other great centres of research has increased our knowledge of the origin and nature of cancer and has so altered our outlook that the disease is now curable in increasing numbers.

But our present accommodation is too limited and **we are now building new modern laboratories** to extend the scope of our investigations. The income from investments and the Endowment Fund is insufficient to cover the total annual expenditure, and help is urgently needed to meet the heavy additional cost of expansion.

Donations, Subscriptions and Legacies are earnestly solicited and should be sent to the Honorary Treasurer, 8-11, Queen Square, London, W.C.1.

FORM OF BEQUEST

I hereby bequeath the sum of £ to the Treasurer of the Imperial Cancer Research Fund under the direction of the Royal College of Physicians of London and the Royal College of Surgeons of England, 8-11, Queen Square, Bloomsbury, London, W.C.1, for the purpose of Scientific Research and I direct that his receipt shall be a good discharge for such legacy



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